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Via ECF

The Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis United States District Judge Eastern District of New York United States Courthouse 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, New York 11201

> United States v. John Doe Re:

> > Criminal Docket No. 13-255 (NGG)

Dear Judge Garaufis:

The government respectfully submits this letter to provide public notice that it filed a motion and proposed order to close the courtroom in this matter for a proceeding and that the government requested that the motion and any order entered by the Court be filed under seal.

The government further writes to confirm that a public hearing on the motion to close the courtroom has been scheduled for July 26, 2013 at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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